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Subject: Re: Fw: ee at the upcoming ecos mtg

Hi Mamie - I was previously the PA liaison, but now PA issues are covered by Laura Mohollen (copied on this message). As far as I know, we don't have any intel on the presentation.

Fortunately, we did just send some info to OCIR to prep Bob P for ECOS. I'm including the PA-specific info that we sent below, as it might be useful as background.

Laura - if you have anything further, please weigh in - thanks!

Hope this helps!
Jennie

Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Secretary Michael Krancer

- Marcellus Shale Natural Gas drilling in general is clearly a high priority for the Secretary. (The Region did not provide any specific write ups.)

- Dimock, PA. Given that PA has recently given the go-ahead for resumed hydraulic fracturing (but not drilling) in this area, and all of the previous EPA/state interaction on this, it could come up. This latest news on the approval by PA to resume fracturing is very recent. The Region is still gathering information and has not taken a position. For background, the July 25 Dimock press release is attached.

[attachment "dimock july 25 pr.docx" deleted by Jennie Saxe/R3/USEPA/US]

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jennie, i assume that you are the pa contact. any feedback on the scope/content of the presentation?

richard/chip, as i am pulling together background materials for steve, i am looking for any examples where the region has partnered with the states in their activities--training, joint inspections, joint enforcement. i have some from region 8, but would like to have something for region 3 since the pa commissioner is the speaker. do you have any examples to share? i need asap. thanks. mm

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I am out of the office and planning to return friday. I forwarded you message to our pa slo.
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From: Mamie Miller
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Date: 08/22/2012 11:16 AM CDT
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just to follow thru on the voice mail message i left....

we are preparing background materials for steve chester for the upcoming ecos meeting. apparently the pa rep is giving a presentation on energy extraction, but we have no details on what the commissioner specifically plans to address (e.g, ee in general, fracking, dimmock). to ensure that steve can effectively respond to any issues that may arise, lisa asked that we contact you to see whether you had any intel on the focus/content of the presentation, or what specific issues may be raised. any insight you have or can gather would be useful. we have to provide steve with the background materials by cob thursday. thanks in advance for your assistance. mm